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Mr. Mike Gaviotis, Wastewater Superintendent City of Rock Springs 212 D Street Rock Springs, WY 82901

Re:

Request for Information

Pursuant to Section 308 of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1318

Dear Mr. Gaviotis:

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Permits and Enforcement Units conducted a joint Pretreatment Audit and Pretreatment Compliance Inspection of the Pretreatment Program administered by the City of Rock Springs (City), Wyoming from August 9, 2010 through August 12, 2010. This letter is a Request for Information regarding Tri-Mac Transportation, a permitted significant industrial user (SIU), as defined at 40 C.F.R. § 403.3(v), located within the City's service area. Section 308 of the Clean Water Act (CWA or Act), 33 U.S.C. § 1318, gives EPA the authority to request information of this nature. Your response to this request must be accompanied by a certificate that is signed and dated by you or the person who is authorized by you to respond to the request. The certification must state that the response is complete and contains all information and documentation available to you that is responsive to the request. We have enclosed a sample Statement of Certification.

You are hereby required to provide to EPA the following information within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter:

Requested Information:

1. Provide copies of all self-monitoring reports, including any chain-of-custody records and laboratory reports, submitted to the City by Tri-Mac Transportation from October 2009 through July 2010.

2. Provide copies of all control authority sampling records, including any chain-of-custody records and laboratory reports, for sampling conducted by the City at Tri-Mac Transportation in 2009 and 2010.

Please be advised that under section 309 of the CWA, 33 U.S.C. § 1319, failure to respond or furnish information, or for knowingly providing false information requested pursuant to section 308 of the CWA, 33 U.S.C. § 1318, may result in an order requiring compliance, a civil action for appropriate relief, or criminal prosecution. In addition, under section 309 of the CWA, 33 U.S.C. § 1319, violation of any such order or failure to submit required information may be punishable by a fine of not more than \$37,500 per day of violation, or by imprisonment of not more than one year, or by both.

Please submit the information requested in this letter to:

Stephanie Gieck (8ENF-W-NP) U.S. EPA Region 8 1595 Wynkoop Street Denver, CO 80202-1129

If you have any questions concerning the information request or submittal of your response, please contact Stephanie Gieck at 303-312-6362.

Sincerely,

Darcy O'Connor, Unit Chief NPDES Enforcement Unit Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice David Janik, Supervisory Attorney Legal Enforcement Program Office of Enforcement, Compliance

and Environmental Justice

Enclosure:

Statement of Certification

CC: Brian Lovett, Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division

City of Rock Springs

Request for Information Pursuant to Section 308 of the Clean Water Act

Statement of Certification

I certify under penalty of law that the foregoing responses and attachments to EPA's Request for Information Pursuant to the Clean Water Act ("Request") were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. The response and attachments contain all documents and information responsive to the Request that are known to me following a complete and thorough review of all information and sources available to me. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Signature		Date
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	Printed Name	
	Official Title	